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Aloha,

My name is Spencer Toyama, co-founder of Sudokrew Solutions, a local web technology development agency. I strongly support Bill 53 (2013) CD2, FD1, Relating to Open Data.

As a small business that deals with data sets for market analysis, as well as practical problem solving, the ability to have access to data that matters to everyone is vital to the growth of our business, and to the technology sector at large. All problem solving requires information and data as a foundation for decision making, and access to more data sets can help the private sector arrive at solutions beneficial to everyone; energy efficiency usage, traffic conditions, road construction, and other data sets. These data sets allow us to build solutions to problems that can ultimately help our community save time, be more efficient with our energy usage, our commuter decisions, and a host of other efficiency solutions that could add to diverse economic development and quality of life.

Mahalo,
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